

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants:	Byrd <i>et al.</i>	Examiner:	Vo, Huyen X.
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Commissioner for Patents
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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

A telephonic interview was held on October 17, 2008, with Examiner Vo representing the Office and Attorney Hunter E. Webb representing Applicants. On November 12, 2008, the Office mailed its Interview Summary. Applicants respectfully submit the following statement:

During the interview, the rejection of claims 1, 21 and -22 was discussed. A proposed amendment was submitted by the Examiner. Applicants agreed to the entry of the proposed amendment.

Applicants respectfully submit that all claims are in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner require anything further to place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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